



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
CAP Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: June 20, 2017

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Type of Offense/Incident: Felonious Assault

Date: June 19, 2017

Time: 11:20 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: A/O 3710 Briggs Road

Zone: 3

Precinct: 10

Incident Report #: 170522546

Cruiser District: 102

Victim: Tavares Ezekial Craighead

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 21

Victim: Sylvester Jerome Chapman

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 21

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

Address:

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Incident Summary: On June 19, 2017, at approximately 11:20 p.m., Columbus Police officers were called to the area of 668 Wedgewood Drive on the report of multiple shooting victims. Upon arrival, officers located both victims, later identified as Tavares Craighead and Sylvester Chapman, both suffering from gunshot wounds. Emergency medical personnel responded to the scene and transported both victims to local hospitals where they both remain in critical but stable condition. Investigation revealed that the shooting occurred at a nearby location and the victims drove to the Wedgewood address seeking assistance.

The investigation continues.

Incident #170522546.

Detective Greg Stevens is the lead detective, assisted by Detective David Dennison.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS.

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